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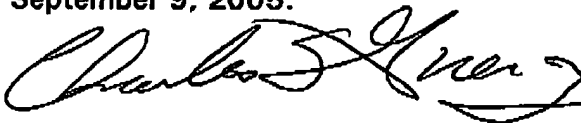
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REMARKS

Attached is an amendment:

(1) Rule 111 Amendment (10 pp.)

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**For: "COLLIMATED AND LONG THROW MAGNETRON SPUTTERING OF
NICKEL/IRON FILMS FOR MAGNETIC RECORDING HEAD APPLICATIONS"**

Commissioner for Patents
Arlington, VA 22313

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Sir:

In an amendment in response to the Office Action dated May 10, 2005, please amend the above application as follows: